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As The Gater Sees It....

By FRANK SCHWASS

The Board of Publications, overseers of the destinies of local rags, has decided that the Publications Office shall henceforth become a No-Mans-Land for those not connected with journalism. It seems that the local Pub office has become a depository for various types of fauna which exist around the school. Among other Genii seen about the place are the ebulient ex-journalists who are both noisy and ambidextrous, the shrieking members of the fair sex who tell rank jokes and then go into paroxysms of hilarity, and the strong but unsilent men who say little but delight in flinging about those articles of furniture and fixings which are not firmly battened down. It is expected, with this new set-up, that classes in close proximity to the office will be able to catch up with their sleep undisturbed—Mr. Morpheus, please note.

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Aspiring appointees to positions in the body politic of State will be happy to know that the three gentlemen running for the number one spot have taken it upon their shoulders to set rules and regulations which will govern all candidates for all offices. The mere fact that this estimable trio broached their set-up at an Executive Board meeting when they were (theoretically at least) supposed to be present for the sole purpose of representing their various organizations, should not detract from an appreciation of their zeal. The plan formulated, which has already received enough publicity, will do away with the circus attitude of previous campaigns and will lend a "dignified" aspect to the pre-election festivities. No more free chewing gum and barber-pole pencils, heck.

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Members of Delta Sigma, local debating society, are preparing for a journey to the College of the Pacific for a speech tournament to be held at that institution. The local word-chewers, it would seem, have one of the best rackets extant on the campus. One year, if memory serves correct, the State forensic team was to be found in the wilds of Arizona or on Maryland plantations pursuing their peculiar art. This year, although the trips haven't been quite as ambitious, the squad manages frequent excursions into the hinterlands in chase of some mythical Grail, the existence of which is doubtful at best. Why take a drubbing on the football field just for the trips? Just oil up the larynx and HO! for the open road.

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With local kleptomaniacs running riot on the campus, students herding like sheep in a fire-trap school, and the multitudinous difficulties of student life harassing anxious pupils, a Mrs. Coplestone finds herself extremely irate because the Co-op demands a penny for two books of matches instead of giving them out gratis. Maybe an editorial condemning this horrible situation should be splashed on the feature page in bold-face type but other, equally urgent, situations arise such as orange peels on the campus, what's become of our school spirit (question mark), and the horrors of the post-box situation, which are also deserving of righteous wrath.

JUNIORS WILL REPEAT FANTASY APRIL 13; ORIGINAL CAST PERFORMS IN STUDENT COMEDY

Staff Has New Plan For Gater

"Get active or get out!" is the newly-adopted slogan by the editorial staff of the Golden Gater. An informal meeting held last Tuesday night resulted in the following plan: (1) NO ONE will be allowed to frequent the Publications office unless working on the paper; (2) re-establishment of a copy desk, handled by competent journalists. This assures a complete re-reading of copy, rewrites if necessary and greater authenticity of news; (3) definite beats will be assigned, assuring complete coverage from all clubs, organizations and individuals; (4) managing and assistant managing editors will handle only the writing of heads and make-up.

This plan is intended to eliminate the hap-hazard method applied in the past. All clubs and organizations are asked to cooperate fully with the reporters so that the dead-line can be met. According to the group, any classes, clubs, organizations or faculty members failing to give reporters stories will receive no publicity.

Members of the group included: Mrs. Ruth Witt-Diamant, faculty sponsor; Bob Chamberlin, editor; Jean Dooley and Almarie Porteous, managing editors; Frank Schwass, Tim Guiney, Tom Thorpe, Connie Field, Al Cartwright, Bill Buchan, Franciscan editor, and Harold Martin, publicity director of the College.

Jacobs, Fenneman and Rees Steal Scenes; McCoy And Chandler Take Leads

Scene-stealing stars of the Junior show, "The Character" will make a return appearance when the fantasy is presented April 13, at Frederic Burk Auditorium. The second showing of the Junior extravaganza was scheduled when producers were flooded with a demand for the additional performance.

Harold Jacobs, George Fenneman and Vernon Rees, comedy trio, will be seen in their original roles. Jacobs, as Percy, stopped the show with a solo in the second act of the original production. Fenneman, who ad-libbed through his entire performance, and Rees, in the role of the distraught stage director, will again carry the comedy burden in the show.

Alice McCoy, in the role of Mary, and Harold Chandler as Bob, will be seen in the romantic leads, supported by Marshall Blum and Joan Smith. Jean Deckman, the vivacious Kate who chases Percy, will be seen in one of the major supporting roles.

A symphonic orchestra, under the direction of the composer, Roland Ingraham, will supply the musical background. All the original specialty acts featured in the performance on April 1, will be included. Francis Twohig and Frank Collin, Audrey Stewart and Howard Demeke make return appearances in their solo dance numbers. Twohig and Collin were starred in a tango number especially written for "The Character."

The tickets for the performance are on sale in College Hall.

Alpha Gamma Pledges Initiated Here Today

Complying with the rules of "Hell Day," Alpha Phi Gamma pledges will be seen wandering around the halls today carrying paddles and wearing the traditional "Hell Day" costume. The day's activities will terminate this evening in a formal initiation at the home of Dr. Theodore E. Treutlein, sponsor of the organization.

According to Lew Morris, pledge captain, the initiates are compelled to wear a large cardboard facsimile of the Alpha Phi Gamma key which has to be signed by every active member of the organization. "This prevents them from remaining in hiding all day," remarked Morris.

Those being pledged are: Ed Smith, Sibyl Hurning, Almarie Porteous, Al Cartwright, Doris MacDonald, Connie Fields, and Jean Dooley.

Inaugural Ball Held At St. Francis Hotel

State students' Inaugural Ball will be held April 30 from 9:00 p. m. to 1:00 a. m. in the Colonial Ballroom of the St. Francis Hotel. Bids will go on sale at the nominal price of one dollar. The consummation of the long-awaited affair will see numerous Staters jigging to the music of Doug Kidd's versatile nine-piece orchestra. Doug himself, and several other members of the orchestra are at present State College students. The dance will afford the swingsters, accompanied by a well known vocalist, their first opportunity to present entertainment for a State affair.

"Hail to San Francisco State" has been selected as the theme of the evening, and conforming to this the ballroom decorations will consist principally of the college colors. The A Capella Choir will not be present to offer selections during the installation ceremony as had been previously decided. The installation ceremony itself, written by Norman Zech and Edith White, will be a very brief program, instituting in their offices the new leaders of the student body.

FRED. BURK SCHEDULES OPEN HOUSE

Hostesses To Conduct Visitors Through School For Demonstration Day

Open house for prospective teachers and interested visitors will be held in Frederic Burk today from 9:00 a. m. until 2:00 p. m. All members of the High Sophomore and Low Junior classes are especially urged to attend the demonstration sometime during the day.

Hostesses will be present during the Open House hours to show the visitors through the training departments. Elementary classes will be in session from 9 to 2, in order to acquaint the visitors with the regular class-room procedure. By this method, it is hoped that would-be teachers may be afforded an opportunity to familiarize themselves with the teaching methods employed in Frederic Burk.

Virginia Gildea will be general chairman for the day, assisted by Evelyn Genzier in charge of invitations and arrangements; Blanche Tovey, refreshments; Frances Lynn, programs; Dorothy Rice, decorations. Lillian Johnson, Frederic Burk chairman, will be assisted by the following hostesses: Elaine Hoxie, Jeanette Lubiner, Beatrice Watson, Lone Olson, Erma Olsson, Alice Murphy, Gloria Baruch, Carroll Lang, Ellen Archibald, Helen Biggerstaff, Ethel McKibben, and Gladys Burke.

An informal tea for all High Sophomores and Low Juniors will be held in Frederic Burk from 2 to 3 o'clock. At this time the guests will meet the educational faculty of the school.

On Friday evening, the parents of the Frederic Burk pupils will be entertained at Father's Night. Each class will present a short program for the visitors, after which Dr. Walter Morritt will address the assembly in Frederic Burk auditorium.

"The Orphic" Revived; On Sale Next Week

Tickets for "The Orphic," Scribes Club publication, go on sale early next week for ten cents apiece. Business Manager Sibyl Hurning announced today that there are 300 tickets to be sold for the mimeographed magazine. Tickets must be purchased early because the number is limited.

Manuscripts for the publication have all been submitted. A 500 word freshman theme, poetry, short stories, essays, and other forms of prose will be included in the 20-page book.

Staff for the Orphic included, Editor-in-chief, Dorothy Mantell; Associate Editor, Jean Gilleran; Business Manager, Sibyl Hurning; Assistant Business Manager, Jean Dooley.

The editorial board, which is judging the material submitted, is composed of Jean Lynch, Peggy Cleghorn, Henry Glass, Jean Gilleran, and Dorothy Mantell.

HEDDA GABLER PRESENTED TONIGHT, TOMORROW; FIRST PERFORMANCE THURSDAY EVE

Miss Jessie Caseboldt, Theater director, in charge of tonight's production

L. Collins, B. Decker, M. Levin, F. McGowan; Take Leads In Play

Hedda Gabler, play of thwarted dreams by Heinrich Ibsen, is completing its first State College appearance on the boards of the Little Theater at 8:15 tonight and Saturday. Last night was the initial presentation of the production. Students may obtain admission by Student Body card, and non-students may see the performance for the small sum of twenty-five cents instead of the thirty-five cent fee previously decided upon.

The cast of the play includes Lillian Collins as Hedda; Fred McGowan as Judge Brack; Bud Decker as George Tesman; Molly Levin as Miss Juliana Tesman; Evelyn Geinzer as Mrs. Thea Elvsted; Donald Joy as Ejlert Lovborg; and Rita Sadler as Bertha. Lillian Collins is a veteran of the Ibsen work, "Ghosts," which has previously been produced at State. Fred McGowan is well-versed in the art of dialogue which is featured in this moving drama. Bud Decker, in the role of Hedda's husband, finds himself tied up in knots of embarrassment when in the presence of his cold and calculating wife.

John O'Shaughnessy, chairman of the Drama Council, is in charge of the technical production. Ben Smith, a Santa Cruz high school graduate, trouper and make-up expert, will assist Mr. O'Shaughnessy.

Miss Casebolt, director of College Theater productions, stated that the next play to be given by State's dramatists will be in a lighter vein in contrast to the seriousness of Hedda Gabler.

Greek Letter Clubs Feature Gathering; "Spring" Is Theme

"Spring" is expected to be the theme at the semi-annual gathering of the members of the Greek Letter societies, Friday evening, April 22, in the Music Room. Lois Towle and George Alves are co-chairmen of the affair while the members of Phi Lambda Chi will act as hostesses.

The first event of the evening will be a program presented by Epsilon Mu and Kappa Delta Tau. This will be followed by refreshments, games and dancing. The serving of refreshments is under the supervision of Delta Sigma Nu, but all organizations are expected to contribute to the refreshments.

Tickets for the affair will be sold only to members of various societies at a cost of ten cents. A complete list of all members is being drawn up and each member will be permitted to bring one guest. A ticket, which may be bought at the door, will be necessary for the guest, however.

Fifth Movie Series Is Presented Here

Four motion pictures will be presented tonight at seven-thirty in the Women's Gymnasium as the last in the series of five documentary films, presented by Dr. Elias T. Arnesen.

Tonight's program will consist of singing scenes from the "Jazz Singer," starring Al Jolson; a Fox Movietone News of George Bernard Shaw; Mickey Mouse's first talking picture, "Steamboat Willie" and "All Quiet on the Western Front," the feature attraction.

Produced in 1927 by Warner Brothers, the "Jazz Singer" is the story of a Jewish boy, disowned by his father for devoting himself to secular instead of sacred music After winning considerable success on the stage, the son returns to sing

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Gambol down to Roos Bros for your Easter Finery-

EDITORIALS

Editorials and feature articles in the Golden Gater reflect only the writer's opinion. They make no claim to represent student or administration opinion. All unsigned editorials are by the Editor.

Classes Are Parasites . . .

Recently the Golden Gater made the suggestion that the Executive Board cut down its membership in order to achieve some degree of efficiency. The backbone of this scheme was to do away with the class system.

It is our contention that there is absolutely no function carried on by these organizations that could not be done and done better by other means. More than this, there is considerable expense attached to carrying these political conveniences.

Good Money Goes Pfft . . .

Each class receives twenty-five dollars a semester to subsidize their "activities". This is four hundred dollars a year from which we receive . . . what?

It is true that these classes give Soph Struts, Frosh Hops, Junior Proms and so on. On these ventures money is made or lost. If money is made the classes spend the money. But if the dance is a floppo, and the class has not enough to stand the loss, the student body pays the bill. Furthermore, it is the student body as a whole that patronizes these dances, yet the classes reap the profit. And each of the "classes", which average a nominal membership of two hundred, is actually attended by twenty or thirty students and run by four or fivee.

Derail The Gravy Train . . .

The upshot of all this is that the Student Body is financing the projects of a group of compact political organizations. Majors in art, music, and education are joined arbitarily in a useless and clumsy system that, aside from being intrinsically of no value, fills the Executive Council with small-time politicians that represent from ten to fifty students each.

We hope to see a constitutional amendment that will bring about this sorely needed change.

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Compacts
Lockets
Mesh Bags
THE CO-OP

WE HEAR . . .

By CONNIE FIELD

From the Daily Trojan comes the statement that their prize freshman filled out the church preference on the registration blank as "Red Brick."

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POME . . .
Philosphy lectures
Are quite uncanny,
But sitting so long
Is hard on your (censored).
SaMoJac.

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The futile prayer said nightly by the girls on Lone Mountain: "Please, Lord, I'm not asking for myself, but please send mother a son-in-law."—U.S.F. Foghorn.

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A SPOT OF LIFE—
She sucked in her stomach . . . her face turned red . . . the muscles bulged out on her forehead . . . she bit her cheek . . . she clenched her hands . . . but to no avail, for she could not pass through one pair of the two parallel posts in front of the library. That was her way of finding out whether or not she had lost any weight.—FSC Collegian.

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VERS AD LIBRE . . .
Adolph Hitler
Darn nice guy:
"I'll keep Austria
Or know why."

Adolph plans
Plebiscite;
Tells Goehring:
"Make it right."

Otto Schmidt
(Average soul),
Wanders up
To Nazi poll.

Otto stamps
"X" or "No"—
Soon detained
By Gestapo.

Nazi Jail.
Trepidation.
Firing squad.
Liquidation.
—Angus Mac

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SO WE HEAR . . .
A fool with his money are some party . . .
—St. Mary's Collegian

FLASH!

All petitions for Student Body offices will be available Monday in the Student Body Office. They must be signed by fifty Student Body members and returned by April 18.

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From This Side

By TIM GUINEY

"The News Behind the News"

Honest to gosh, this is really the "Week of the Great Sleep" as far as news behind the news is concerned. We notice that one of the greatest of all pieces of anti-war propaganda, "All Quiet on the Western Front," will be shown to the local collegians tonight in the Women's Gym. At the moment, our biggest worry is that the small rectangle will be so thoroughly jammed that we'll be watching the picture, hanging out of the single projection room window, monkey fashion. In the event that an overwhelming audience attends the picture, we would suggest that the film be held for a second showing at a later date.

Also slated for the program are a few scenes from the Al Jolson picture, "The Jazz Singer." For our part, we will be very interested spectators during the showing of this particular film. Not that we like Jolson, but just to find out if the reports that he did have something on the ball at one time are true. Every time we hear that nasal twang, we wonder, wonder, wonder.

Prexy & Ex-Prexy Beef

Behind the aura of complacency surrounding the persons of Vernon Rees, co-author of "The Character," and Tom Thorpe, president of the Associated Men Students, is a conflict growing by leaps and bounds every day.

The beef arises from the question of advertising signs to be placed at the College Hall end of Annex A. It seems that since Mr. Rees' brainchild, "The Character," is to be run for a second time, the gentleman insists on keeping a large sign advertising the play in this spot. Since this particular end of the Annex is considered the most lucrative advertising wall on the campus, Mr. Thorpe, with the interests of the AMS smoker at heart, challenges Mr. Rees' right to monopolize this spot, especially for a repeat performance.

Marshmallows?

On various occasions, the two have almost come to blows. For our part, we would suggest a marshmallow duel at ten paces. Mr. Thorpe, and maybe rightfully so, claims that the AMS, as an organization of all men students on the campus, is far more important than the second performance of a production that only reaped twenty dollars on its initial presentation. "It all boils down," says Terrible Tommy, "to this question: What do the men students of this college want, a script or a strip?"

Well, anyway . . . .

One Happy Family?

Overheard: Since we've always been of the opinion that members of the Music Federation were about as close as blood brothers, it came as something of a shock to hear a few Fed members remark the other day that they would try to keep outsiders who have borrowed cards from Federation members out of their little "Bunny Hop".

The only catch, it seems, is that they are afraid to try it on anyone because they admittedly don't know the people who are in the group. Rather than being as gregarious as blood brothers, it would seems that they are as close as the proverbial Norwegian and the Swede.

So day after day, our ideals keep being blasted away. . . .

CO-ED S CORNER

By CAROL CROUCH

If nobody's looking, we're going to turn this space into gossip stuff. We tried to keep this column on a high intellectual plane, but with the constant pressure of the publicity seekers and the other columnists on our staff, we are lapsing for just one issue.

It seems a mite peculiar that the sentiments change so rapidly among columnists. When they go far enough to turn their columns into a fashion sheet, we can only wonder who pushes the pen.

Easy Money!

Pat Gorman, State stooge, is still stunned by an incident of last week. While drinking Coca Cola's or something down-town, up rushed an unresponsible citizen of male gender and thrust a $5 bill into her unwilling hands, mumbled something about a ticket, and departed. We would like to know her methods. Rent's due.

Betty DeVoe seems to be still foot-loose and fancy free with the local lads despite her all-too-binding engagement to a lad in Washington, D. C.

One of the Smith boys finally received his just dues for letting his affections wander too freely. The girl friend seems to have decided to call the whole thing off.

A Rose By Any . . .

The two Roses of the Alpha Phi Gamma clan have combined their separate and distinct aromas it seems. Maybe W. J. J. got pricked by one thorn too many.

And didn't we see that Benny Brooks Boy escorting no less than four choice lassies about after the play? What's he got that G. Peters hasn't got? What HAS Peters got?

"Character" Johnny McAndrews should be asked a few questions about one Ruth Curnow. But of course we won't ask him anything, and don't you either. Please.

Any Spare Lingerie?

FLASH!! . . Almarie Porteous, super-efficient, hard plugging managing editor was out last week without Hal Widney. You know, he's the lad who has taken to lingerie adornments lately—WOW!

And what could have prompted their support of Jeanne Deckman as a Character? If we didn't know the boys, we might . . . oh! Schwass our columnists to be so ardent in the use!

We also wonder what has happened to Oulette's pride and joy from Martinez, or has she been replaced by "Aunty" Lordeaux?

We can't help noticing the continual meanderings of Dawn Wilson in the direction of Everett Parrish.

Ex-Stater Bill Kelly's theme song: "Oh, Dear! What Can The Matter BEE", or do we make ourselves Cleary? . . .

. . . AND THAT'S DIRTY FOR TODAY, GIRLIES ! ! ! . . . BOX NO. 183 . . .

REGISTRAR'S OFFICE

NOTICE TO ALL STUDENTS

Handwriting tests will be given on April 23, at 10:30 a. m. in Room 117, and each half hour after sign-up with Mrs. Downey.

Mathematics test will be given April 23, at 8:30 a. m. in Room 210. All students above Low Freshman standing who have not taken these tests should arrange to do so on April 23.

Summer Session and January, 1939, graduates should file applications for degrees and credentials now. Blanks may be secured from the Registrar's Office.

Subject B English examinations will be given the following Saturday, April 30, at 9 a. m. in rooms 210 and 208. All students must pass this examination before taking practice teaching.

Ice Carnival To Be Held

An Easter Ice Carnival, to be held Thursday morning, April 12, at the San Francisco Ice Rink, has been planned by the Winter Sports Club. The rink will be open to all State students between the hours of 9:30 and 12, and since it will be a holiday, a large attendance is expected. The usual rates of ten cents admission and fifteen cents skate rental will be in effect.

. . . NOTICE . . .

In the last few weeks some person in the college has taken 3 books from my office without my knowledge. While I appreciate the spirit which prompts a person to take books so liberally sprinkled with notes and annotations and quite so timeworn as to have no resale value, I am confident that it must be a genuine student. I would be glad to lend them, I need two of them at this time, and so I appeal to the student who may have these books to leave them on the desk in the outer office, or if you care to see me, I will arrange for myself and you to use them jointly.

Bertha M. Monroe

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Friday, April 8, 1938

"OZ" OSBORNE LEADS BATTERS; STICKMEN'S AVERAGES RELEASED

With the absence of Coach Hal Harden from the campus, the State baseball team will be inactive this week-end, playing its next game at Santa Rosa Junior College on Thursday afternoon, April 14.

Attending the Physical Education Conference in Los Angeles, Harden will not be back until next week. Pat Bowers, star outfielder from last year's squad, will manage the team during the coach's absence.

Looking over the games played so far this season, the Gaters have a record of three wins, one tie and 9 defeats. The scores for all games played are as follows:

State 2	Commerce High	8
State 2	California	19
State 0	Geo. Washington	7
State 2	Athens Club	12
State 4	San Jose State	15
State 1	Commerce High	0
State 1	Albany High	1
State 3	Balboa High	5
State 7	S. F. Post Office	2
State 0	Fresno State	15
State 4	Fresno State	3
State 3	St. Mary's College	17
State 3	San Jose State	10
State 32	Opponents	104

Only one Gater player, Dick Osborne, with .400, is batting above the .300 mark, but he is out for the season with a dislocated ankle. Charlie Iago, .280, "Spider" Turner, .265 and Roy Wormell, .234 are next in order.

Gater Batting Averages

Those who have batted 10 or more times.

Player	Pos.	AB.	R.	H.	E.	Av.
D. Osborne	cf	20	2	8	2	.400
Charlie Iago	2b	25	5	7	3	.280
J. Turner	2b	34	5	9	3	.265
R. Wormell	lf	21	1	5	2	.234
F. Jackson	c	10	0	2	0	.200
Al Cleary	ss	38	4	7	16	.184
F. Buchan'	cf	28	3	5	1	.178
Dick Coshow	c	12	1	2	2	.167
Ru Stone	p-lf	12	1	2	7	.167
Geo. Mailho	p-lf	38	1	6	2	.158
D. McRitchie	1b	21	1	3	0	.143
B. Hammond	3b	35	1	5	11	.143

SAY IT ISN'T SO

BY ALEX EDELSTEIN
Sports Editor

In the adjoining column may be seen the batting averages of the State baseball players — which brings to mind the immediate position of the team in regards to their won and lost record . . . if you follow me.

Last year State had one of the best college baseball teams in the bay area, defeating such representative clubs as U. S. F., Santa Clara, San Jose State and other teams of equal rating. Led by the hitting of Bill Abbey, George Bogdanoff and Kenny Wilkes and behind the hurling of Ru Stone, Owen Jones and Andy Gavron, the Gaters combined steady pitching and fielding with opportune hitting to rank a place on the collegiate baseball map.

Analyzing the situation we can attribute the present situation to the following things:

(1) Poor pitching.
(2) Too heavy a schedule.
(3) Failure to hit in the pinches.
(4) Loss of too many veterans.

Summing up the situation, we must come to the conclusion that class is sadly lacking, but, be it as it may, the point is this: Facing inevitable defeat in a number of games this year the team has stayed in there plugging. More power to them. There's more to a game than winning it!

FASTER TRANSPORTATION DESIRED

All students who have cars and are willing to take others out to the ice rink are requested to get in touch with Tassi, Box 741. Although it takes only twenty minutes to get there on an N or number 17 car, the skaters figure that there is a loss of valuable time in this method

Scribe Hits At Block "S" Awards System; Inadequate

By Alex Edelstein

It is too bad that San Francisco State has such a poor Block awards system.

From the consensus of opinion it is easier to get a block at State than at most high schools in San Francisco.

And from the consensus of opinion this system should be changed.

So, in response to these opinions, we present the sum and substance of its inadequacy and constructive ideas gathered from the aforementioned opinions.

These inadequacies are embodied in four parts, which we will deal with in chronological order.

Point one—The system of awarding blocks in regard to merit.

Point two—The system of awarding stripes in regard to the number of stripes and number of blocks.

Point three—The system of awards in regard to manager's blocks.

Point four—The system of awards in regard to manager's competition.

As to point one: Blocks in basketball and football should be awarded on a "specified amount of time" basis. Blocks in tennis should be given on an individual basis, in that tennis is as much an individual sport as track. Blocks in baseball should be awarded on a "specified number of innings played" basis.

As to point two: Stripes should be awarded on the principle of one stripe for each block award after the first.

As to point three: Medals instead of circle block awards should be given to junior varsity managers, instead of the system now in vogue, whereby the manager receives the same award as the player. Manager blocks in varsity sports should have a bigger "M" on them so as to make them distinguishable from the player's block.

As to point four: Three years of junior varsity competition, in one sport, should merit a block award, with the letters "J.V." enscribed in the same manner as the manager's (M) is enscribed on the manager's block.

In conclusion, it can be stated that the present method of the coach selecting the players eligible for award allows the POSSIBILITY of favoritism entering into the selection. We wish also to bring out that it is possible that a player of the caliber of Don Budge himself could be unable to earn a block in tennis, because of the team ruling which says that the TEAM must win a match before the players are eligible for the award. And in conclusion may we bring out the fact that on the Block sweaters the difference between a four letter man and a three letter man can not be discerned under the present setup. There just ain't no difference.

ROSE TO START SOFTBALL TEAM; TO REPRESENT STATE

Supported by Coach Dave Cox and the college P. A. Department, Bill Rose, manager of the Block "S" intramural and former varsity baseball manager, is organizing a softball team to represent S. F. State in one of the indoor leagues sponsored by the city recreation department.

Outstanding players from the college intramural teams are being signed to play, but many positions are still open. Any of the men students interested in trying out for the team are requested to notify Rose through his post box, 878.

The present plan is to minimize practice, and to play games at night. There is a possibility that Roberts Stadium will be used as a home grounds for the team. Games would then be played under the arc lights.

Tennis Team Loses to U. S. F. Six Matches To Three; Dons Take Series; Witt Loses

The University of San Francisco tennis team defeated San Francisco State six matches to three yesterday to take the annual series, having defeated the Gaters 7-2 in their first intercollegiate clash.

Led by number one man Dick Clerk, who defeated Jack Witt, State ace, the Dons annexed four singles matches and two doubles to win honors for the day.

In other matches Lang, DePollo and Tierman of U. S. F. defeated Kavanagh, Nasser and Kim of State in singles, while Sanz and Arlington defeated Herbert and Hamilton of the Dons. Witt and Kavanagh defeated Clecak and DePollo of U.S.F. in the doubles, while Arlington and Kim and Sanz and Nasser lost to Lang and Herbert and Waters and Regan of the Hilltoppers.

Another second-round match for the Gater tennis team takes place tomorrow on the Palace courts, when the St. Mary's racketmen will attempt to even up the 9-0 defeat they were handed when the two squads met several weeks ago.

The Gaels had hardly any practice for the first encounter, as the weather had prevented it. They have now had time to get in shape, and will probably give the Staters more of an argument.

Some changes have taken place in the State lineup since the last conference encounter. Mitch Nasser, promising freshman, has advanced to fifth man. Ken Kim has dropped to sixth, while Joe Sanz and Bill Trevorrow are next in line.

TRACKSTERS OFF FOR SANTA BARBARA; IN DUAL MEET 'MORROW

In an attempt to move back into the win column, the San Francisco State cindermen left for Santa Barbara this morning to tangle with the Santa Barbarans tomorrow in a dual track meet.

Minus the services of Arvo Kannisto, ace 440 and 880 man, the Gater tracksters will attempt to pull victory out of the coals through the efforts of Daryl Hopkins, Luther Theofield, Frank Collin, Bill Stein and Fred Kline, upon whose shoulders the burden of victory rests.

According to members of the squad, the meet tomorrow will prove the turning point in the swing of ill fortune, which has attacked the Gater tracksters this year.

"Come-through" performances will decide the meet. If Daryl Hopkins can win both hurdles and place in the high jump, if Theofield can take the sprints and place in the broad jump, if Collin can win the 440 and carry the relay team through to victory, if Stein can win the discus and place in the shot put, and if Fred Kline can crash through for wins in the mile and two mile, then State will be victorious.

The meet tomorrow should afford some good times. If Hopkins is in top form he should run a 15.4 high hurdles and a 24.6 flight of lows, while Theofield is due to break 10 flat in the hundred and should run at least 21.9 in the 220. Stein and Collin also look ready to cut loose with some good performances.

The enigma of the team this year has been the performances of Socrates Pantages muscular shot putter. Instead of improving each meet Pantages has been swinging from good to bad. Some of the burden of victory also rests on Pantages, as points in the weights are sorely needed.

Coach Cox has not published the names of the men who are making the trip but it is expected that he will take a full squad.

Amongst other probable point winners for State are Jerome Richardson, quarter and half miler, Kenny Wilkes, broad jumper and low hurdler, Jim Hopkins, dash man and Bill Harkness, pole vaulter.

Golf Is New Intercollegiate Sport State

State's newest intercollegiate sport, golf, opens its initial schedule next Saturday morning, when a four-man team travels to Davis to meet the California Aggie divot diggers on the Mustangs' course.

In all probability Coach Harold Martin will use Dick Hawkins and Art Cerf as one combination, and Dave Schutz and Doc Smith in the other. At present all four are shooting consistent golf. Hawkins having a 74, Schutz an 80, Cerf 81, and Smith, a newcomer to the squad, an 83.

Return Match in S. F.

The Aggies will come to San Francisco April 30 to meet the Gaters on the Ingleside Golf Course, in the second match of the series. Manager Dave Schutz has also contacted San Jose State, College of the Pacific, St. Mary's, and Santa Clara. It is expected that at least one match with each of these schools will be held.

What started as merely another sport at State has developed in its first year into an unexpectedly successful venture. When Coach Dave Cox and Harold Martin issued the first call for a golf squad, they had little idea that the men would be meeting other colleges of equal standing in their first year of organization.

Through the efforts of Mr. Cox, Martin and Schutz, it is hoped that the golfers will receive blocks for their efforts, providing they win at least one intercollegiate match. The blocks will be awarded in the same manner as tennis blocks are given out at present.

Jayvee Cindermen Beat Mission

"Kaintuck" Wheeler and Eddie Barbano led the San Francisco junior varsity track team to their first victory of the season yesterday, each counting two first places to help the jayvees take a 61-53 victory over Mission High School.

Wheeler won first place in the high hurdles, tied George Mossler of Mission in the high jump and also took third place in the discus to total ten points, while Barbano took the discus and the shot put. PhilSchmidt and Grant Tolman also came in for honors by scoring 7¼ points each, Schmidt taking second in the hundred and two-twenty, while Tolman ran third in the furlong and won the quarter mile. Both ran a leg on the victorious relay team.

Other State winners were 'Baron' Glass in the pole vault, Asa Button in the broad jump, Eberle in the low hurdles and York in the half mile.

THIS WEEK

Friday, April 8

12:10—Intramural baseball, Block "S" vs. Schultzes on Upper Field.

Saturday, April 9

11:00 a. m.—N. C. I. T. A. tennis, State vs. St. Mary's at Palace of Fine Arts.

1:00—Track, State vs. Santa Barbara at Santa Barbara.

Monday, April 11

12:10—Intramural baseball, Collins' vs. Gophers on Upper Field.

Mayer Made Prexy Of Arts Group

Helen B. Mayer, Art Department advisor and newly-elected president of the Pacific Arts Association, reported a "very interesting and enlightening, thoughtfnl, convention" last week-end in Long Beach, California.

Miss Mayer, a member of the executive council of the Pacific Art Teachers' Association for three years, was accompanied at the convention by Mrs. Cooch, art instructor at State.

Mrs. Lydia Fuller-Largent, supervisor of art in the San Francisco Public Schools, was elected vice-president at the convention.

"The convention was surely entertaining and interesting," according to Miss Mayer. "We were shown art as well as talking about it. The dinner and luncheon environment carried out the theme, being beautifully decorated with creative work of the public schools. We were shown how art affects every subject, speeches and illustrations being presented on art in the movies, dress design, public school architecture, and live models even demonstrated the correct method of wearing flowers in the hair with different colored costumes."

Next year the convention will be held in San Francisco, with artists and art instructors coming from the entire Pacific slope, from San Diego to Seattle.

Newman Club Plans Communion-Breakfast

Members of Newman Club held their regular meeting at Sienna House on Wednesday evening, April 6. Plans for the Communion Breakfast to be held on Sunday, April 10, were discussed.

According to President Steve Ebert, seats have been reserved for those who attend the 9:30 Mass at Saint Mary's Cathedral, in order that the Club may attend as a unit. After the Mass, breakfast will be held at the Koffee Kup, Eighteenth Ave. and Geary Boulevard. The cost of the breakfast will be 50 cents per person.

With Dolores Goetzee, vice-president of the club, as chairman, a program featuring community singing has been planned for the breakfast. Mr. Edward O'Day, editor of the San Francisco Recorder, has been invited as the guest speaker. Souvenir programs have been prepared for all those attending.

All Catholic students of State are invited to attend the Communion-Breakfast, as it is not restricted to members of Newman Club alone.

Chess Club Elects Officers Tomorrow

Chess Club is holding a meeting to discuss plans for the coming election, on Tuesday, April 12. The meeting will be in Annex A10 and women as well as men are invited to be present.

The Club has already played many outside teams with the San Francisco Junior College, promising a spirited match. Number one chess player, Gaetano Stella, remarked, "I think we'll beat 'em."

Outstanding players for State are Bill Trevorrow, John Marks and Joe Bottini. Stella, president, said, "Don't be afraid to come out for the club as there is a group for beginners. Women, don't let the men scare you!"

Venezuelan Address Given Members of Los Lazarillos Club

Speaking on the geography and history of Venezuela, Senor Briscino, Consulate General of Venezuela, was received by members of Los Lazarillos at a meeting held Monday, March 28, in Annex A7.

His discussion was a general one, including a description of the political organization of the country, and a detailed account of its geography. He stated that Venezuela was twice as large as France, and three times as large as Germany, its population being four and a half million people.

He stressed the fact that the relations between the United States and Venezuela have developed to the mutual advantage of both countries, particularly since President Roosevelt's administration.

His account of the history of Venezuela began with the liberation of the country by Bolivar, of whom he gave a short biographical sketch. Venezuelan society, he explained, is more economically balanced than that of other countries, in that there are no extremes between the distribution of wealth and poverty.

He concluded his lecture by holding a five-minute open forum wherein the students were allowed to ask questions and comment on his lecture.

A.M.S. Smoker Will Be Off-Campus, April 20

All men students are cordially invited to attend the Gigantic Smoker on April 20, at the Finnish Brotherhood Hall, 425 Hoffman Avenue, Tom Thorpe, president of the Associated Men Students, announced today.

Admission will be free, the program starting promptly at 8 p. m.

J. Wallace Gallagher is writing the script for the affair. Cigars and cigarettes will be distributed free of charge during the evening. The program will be rounded out with professional and school acts.

To arrive at the hall, Market St. car Number 11 should be taken on Mission Street. The car goes up to 24th and Hoffman Avenue. From this point, walk half a block to the south. The Number 8, the Castro car, can also be taken, transferring the cable car at the end of the line.

Alpha Mu Gamma Attends Chico Meet

State students belonging to Alpha Mu Gamma, National Honorary Language Society, will attend a national convention next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, April 11, 12 and 13, at Chico State College. Miss Marie Dony, local sponsor, will accompany the members of State's chapter and will supervise the group's participation in French folk dances and songs which will be presented by the group as their part in the entertainment.

President Roberts has excused the following students from their classes to attend the convention: Marion B. Smith, Rose Perlman, Jean Spagnoli, Aurora Martin, Donna Rae Watson, Irene Ducasse, and Aletha Wilcox. This is the first local convention which the organization has held and according to reports from the group's president, Aletha Wilcox, a large attendance is expected.

Art Show Announced By Brush 'N' Palette

Brush and Palette, art club of San Francisco State, announces an Art Exhibit to be held from April 18 to 22 in the Activities Room. A contest open to all college students will be a featured part of the exhibition.

Membership in Brush and Palette or enrollment in an art class is not necessary for competition, according to Eleanor Radcliffe, president of Brush and Palette. Anybody who is interested may enter the contest. Work will be classified in the following groups:

1. Representational Art (Figure and Landscape).
2. Abstract Design.
3. Functional Design (Craft and Drawings).
4. Art 4 Work.

Prize for the Art 4 work is a membership in Brush and Palette and a club pin. Prizes for the other three groups will be $2.00 money orders from the art department of Schwabacher-Frey.

All work may be submitted to Frances Vaughan or Miss Benteen, Frederic Burk, Room 101.

Forensic Teams Meet San Jose On Radio

San Francisco State forensic representatives will meet Spartan debaters from San Jose State in the third of a series of Saturday afternoon radio debates over radio station KSFO at 5:30.

This will be the second meet of the radio debate league in which State has participated, Bob Van Houte and J. Wallace Gallagher having previously met the debaters from Santa Clara University on the affirmative side of the question, "Resolved, That the United States should maintain a policy of strict political isolation."

The representatives from State have not as yet been announced, the entire debating squad being in Stockton participating in the Pi Kappa Delta forensic tournament at the College of Pacific. Tomorrow's question is "Resolved, That judicial cases should be settled by precedent." State will take the affirmative side of the question.

Music Federation Party Held Tonight

"Bunny Hop," Easter Party of the Music Federation, will be held tonight, April 8, from 8 to 12 p. m., in Annex B8. Feature of the evening will be the gigantic Easter Egg Hunt with eggs being laid by the Music Federation Executive Board members.

Admission will be free to all holders of Music Federation cards and twenty-five cents to outsiders. According to reports given by the Federation's president, Howard Brubeck, there will be dancing and refreshments for everyone.

French Dinner Will Be Held Tonight Here

Members of the French Club will gather this evening at 5 o'clock for their semi-annual dinner party. Held in the Activities Room and under the direction of Miss Marie Dony, club sponsor, the group will first participate in games and community singing. Miss Betty Henry, club president, will act as hostess for the evening with after-dinner plans to attend the production of "Hedda Gabler" in College Theater already arranged.

EXECUTIVE BOARD MINUTES

April 4, 1938.

The twenty-fifth regular meeting of the Executive Board was called to order at 7:30 p. m. by President Will Smith. The minutes of the previous meeting were approved as read.

COMMUNICATIONS:

1. Acknowledgment of S. B. expression of sympathy in the passing of Mrs. Mary Stuart McGinn.
2. "Look"—requesting that they be kept in mind when we release pictures.
3. Governor Merriam—unable to attend Inaugural Ball, Dinner.
4. Mayor Rossi — pertaining to April 30th invitation.
5. Raymond Valdez—announcing conference at S. F. J. C. to stimulate peace activity.
6. N. S. F. A.—travel rates.
7. Daniel C. Murphy—pertaining to April 30th.
8. Thomas A. Maloney—accepting invitation for April 30th.
9. Kennett B. Dawson—accepting invitation for April 30th.
10. Edgar C. Levey — accepting invitation for April 30th.
11. Forrest Justis, Zeta Sigma Frat.,—info. for organizing a chapter.
12. Wilson Sporting Goods Co.—referred to Athletic Department.

COMMITTEES:

Miss Wilson reported that the 13th of April had been requested for another presentation of "The Character," and the 8th of May (tentative) for a Soph Class Picnic. Both dates were approved.

A recommendation for the approval of the Sigma Alpha Eta Con. was made by Miss Frances Bolander, chairman of the Con. Committee.

Mr. Ed Smith presented the financial report on the maintenance and construction of Roberts Field, which will be given more completely next time.

President Smith asked that there be more time allowed for consideration of the Board of Pub. amendment, there having been three more plans submitted. A special meeting of the committee will be called to discuss these plans.

A program is being prepared, which will be presented at Mission High School in the near future, as reported by Mr. Zech, chairman of the Deputations Committee.

Miss Wilson stated that further Inaugural Ball plans, such as publicity stunts and G. G. advertisement, are being arranged.

Contract was made by Mr. Fitzgerald with the St. Francis Hotel, and drop cards will be provided, which will boost both the hotel and the coming Inaugural Ball.

Mr. Zech reported that the P. A. schedule would soon be posted.

The P. A. system has been checked, adjusted, and installed in a permanent case, under the supervision of Mr. Fitzgerald.

The "Rams" at Roberts Field was also painted over by Mr. Fitzgerald.

It was reported by Mr. Moser that approximately $12.20 had been collected at the last ice skate.

Mr. Guiney stated, as a result of the investigation he made, that the college cannot be held liable for accidents at the ice rink.

A favorable report was presented by Mr. Chamberlin on the "Guild Recorder" tryout.

Mr. Worth reported the KFRC broadcast a success on the whole, and also that we were offered an opportunity to present another program. Mr. Moser announced further that the opening for this program had been set for April 16th.

A report on the S. F. State College sign will be given (tentatively) next week.

President Smith stated that the tentative agreement on smoking regulations is to restrict smoking in College Hall due to valuable records and books which must be protected. A plan from the administration is expected in the near future (revised plan).

A sub-committee has been appointed by Mr. Brubeck to assemble all necessary data concerning band uniforms. Several clothing firms have been contacted by Mr. Brubeck, and their various bids will be considered.

Mr. Rees reported "The Character" a success and announced that there would be some changes in the second presentation. A question as to the number of people having to stand at the affair came up, but it was generally felt that this problem was handled as adequately as possible.

OLD BUSINESS:

Mr. Martin brought up the question as to the manner in which we should collect the money for Inaugural Ball bids from the Alumni.

A motion was made (Kyriazi) and seconded (Moser) that we reserve, in name, the dance bids only, and that they be obtained and paid for at the door. Motion passed (unanimously).

An amendment to the above motion was made (Kyriazi) and seconded (Smith) to read that we except those who wish to pay through the mail before receiving their bids. Motion passed (7-6).

A motion was made (Smith) and seconded (Brubeck) that we grant the ice skating situation $2.80 with the original stipulation. Motion passed (unanimously).

A motion was made (Smith) and seconded (B. Bolander) that members of the Executive Board not be allowed to leave without the consent of the Board. Motion failed (2-8).

This problem (as constitutionally provided) will be taken care of according to Roberts Rules of Order.

A motion was made (Demeke) and seconded (Thorpe) that the "Guild Recorder" be allowed to continue under its present editorship. Motion passed (unanimously).

Discussion took place in regard to the jurisdiction and classification of the G. Recorder.

A motion was made (Fitzgerald) and seconded that the Guild Recorder be accepted as a publication. Motion passed (unanimously). As the G. R. comes under the jurisdiction of the B. of Pub.

Mr. Mosier asked for three women and three men volunteers for the next radio broadcast.

NEW BUSINESS:

A motion was made (Thorpe) and seconded (Smith) that all petitions for S. F. elections be out on April 11th and be handed in on April 18th, by 4:00 o'clock, for approval by the Executive Board. Motion passed (unanimously).

President Smith instructed Miss White to make arrangements for securing the voting machines from the City Hall.

It was suggested that 2 rallies be held this year, the 1st to be conducted according to the campaign rallies in the past, and the 2nd to give students an opportunity to ask the presidential candidates various questions—in this way allowing the students to better acquaint themselves with the ability of each candidate.

A motion was made (Demeke) and seconded (Johnson) that during the election campaign, two rallies be held—the 1st to be conducted according to the original campaign rallies—the 2nd to be held for the purpose of affording an opportunity to ask questions of the presidential candidates relevant to their campaigns, the questions to be considered subject to the President's discretion—and with the provision that candidates be allowed three posters, one banner, and $5.00 expenses. Motion passed (unanimously).

An amendment to the above motion was made (Smith) and seconded (Brubeck) that the following restrictions be followed by candidates:

That there be—

1. A maximum cash outlay of $10.00.
2. No more than three posters 2 feet by 3 feet.
3. One streamer, 10 ft. by 2 ft.
4. No use of Post Boxes.
5. No defacing of school property.
6. No Golden Gater advertising.
7. No bands or orchestras.
8. No tangible merchandise to be given away.
9. A maximum of 5,000 printed cards, no larger than United States penny post card size.

Motion passed.

A motion was made (Demeke) and seconded (Brubeck) that any candidate not complying with the rules set forth by this Board be declared ineligible. Motion passed (unanimously).

President Smith requested that notice of the S. F. J. C. Peace Conference be put in the paper.

Mr. Brubeck extended an invitation to the members of the Board to attend the Music Federation Party on Friday, April 8th.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned at 9:5

Respectfully submitted,

EDITH WHITE, Secretary

Phi Lambda Chi Plans Week-End Party

Members of Phi Lambda Chi will have a week-end outing at the Bolander home in Mill Valley tomorrow and Sunday. All girls wishing to attend should contact either Miss Berta or Miss Frances Bolander at once in order that preparations be made for everyone.

Rushees of Phi Lambda Chi will be formally as well as informally initiated at a later date and President Mary Louise Johnson urges members to consider carefully all names submitted before the next special meeting to be called the end of this month.

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FINAL MOVIE SERIES IS GIVEN TONIGHT IN WOMEN'S GYM; ADMISSION FREE

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in the synagogue in place of his dying father, with whom he is belatedly reconciled. The famous scene at the end in which the actor sings "Mammy" as well as other memorable scenes will be shown.

One of the Movietone News series of 1927 is a strangely revealing study of the Irish playwright, George Bernard Shaw. Produced, designed, and directed by Walt Disney in 1928, Mickey Mouse makes his talking picture debut in "Steamboat Willie."

"All Quiet on the Western Front," the dramatic war film based on the novel by Erich Maria Remarques, will be shown in a slightly shortened version. The late Louis Wolheim as a hardened, yet kind-hearted soldier, Lew Ayres as the school boy drafted into service, and "Slim" Summerville are starred in this picture of the German viewpoint of the Great War. The present version is shorter for "All Quiet" originally consisted of thirteen reels, and this has been nine. Harrowing as the subject matter seemed in 1930, it has not become less poignant in eight years and the present length creates as much emotional strain as most audiences care to undergo.

Seen in connection with Dr. Arnsen's Motion Picture Appreciation course, this series of historical motion pictures has been attended by a large number of students and friends. The program will start at seven-thirty tonight, in order that it may end earlier. All students are invited to see the show free of charge, but are requested to be seated in the Gym before the starting time.